The existing road from Arkalgud to Guddanahalli is not fit for carts. These roads will be very useful.

*Dewan's reply.*—The suggestions are noted, and the projects will be examined in the Public Works Department.

**Subject No. 159.**

**Extensions of north channel of the Sriramdevar Dam.**

*Summary of discussion.*—It is suggested that the branch channel on the 6th mile of the north channel of the Sriramdevar anikat and the main channel itself near Kadavinakoté may be diverted by opening a new channel near the village, in which case about 100 acres of dry land may be brought under wet cultivation without much cost to Government.

*Dewan's reply.*—The suggestions will be referred to the Chief Engineer for examination.

**Subject No. 160.**

**Disposal of grazing rights.**

*Summary of discussion.*—Holè-Narsipur is a maidan Taluk. In some villages, sufficient gomal lands are not assigned. Consequently raiyats are put to much inconvenience and cattle are taken to the jungles in the adjoining Arkalgud Taluk. It is suggested, therefore, that the system of selling the Hulbanni should be abolished, and the system of "*Hanchika*" (renting out) enforced in lieu of it.

*Dewan's reply.*—Under present rules, the grazing right is sold where the villagers do not agree to take it up on an average of previous years' realizations. Where they agree to take it on the said average, the amount is distributed among the raiyats rateably. This seems to be sufficient and convenient to all concerned.

**Subject No. 161.**

**Street lights required for Hole-Narsipur.**

*Summary of discussion.*—Much inconvenience is felt by the public in walking in the streets during nights for want of street lights at Holé-Narsipur. It is suggested that lamp-posts may be provided, as is done in other Taluk Kasaba Muncipalities.

*Dewan's reply.*—Government have no objection. It is for the Municipality to provide the lights, finding the necessary funds for it from Municipal income.

**Subject No. 162.**

**Drinking water-supply works for Hassan town.**

*Summary of discussion.*—As the Hassan towns-people experience much difficulty in their water-supply, the Devakere and two Kattinakere which are reservoirs of drinking water for the Hassan town, may be repaired and silt removed therefrom. It is suggested also that a reservoir may be formed near "Maharnavami mantap" with a view to improve the water-supply of the three tanks (Devakere and 2 Kattinakere) in the town and to prevent the running of silt therein. As an additional or alternative project, it is also suggested that a kattè situated at Yediyur about two miles from the town may be improved for the supply of water through pipes. The subject of affording facilities of water-supply to the towns-people of Hassan has been under discussion these three or four years.